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Application of: Smart et al.

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Examiner: Dwayne K. Handy

For: Silicon Nitride Window For
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of Construction

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The fee required to be filed with the accompanying amendment of even date herewith concerning the above-identified application has been estimated to be \$158.00.

The claim amendment fee has been estimated as shown below:

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CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT			HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID		PRESENT EXTRA		RATE		ADDIT. FEE		
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TOTAL	28	MINUS	21	7	x 9	\$	63.00	x 18	\$		
INDEP.	5	MINUS	4	1	x 43	\$	43.00	x 86	\$		
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM							\$	0.00	\$		
							TOTAL	\$	106.00	OR	TOTAL
								\$			

Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150.
A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Date: December 23, 2003

Respectfully submitted,



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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to a first Office Action mailed June 27, 2003.

Petition for Extension of Time under 37 CFR 1.136. It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated June 27, 2003 be extended for a period of three (3) months from September 27, 2003 to and including December 27, 2003. The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$475.00 (small entity).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any required fee(s) to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for such purpose.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Drawings are reflected at page 10 of this Amendment.

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